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Dear Dave:

Burnet has been visiting here briefly en route to London and this reminded us that you were the third examiner on Gus Nossal's Ph.D. examining committee. I was somewhat baffled about the procedure for handling this and for this reason had delayed until now making a formal report. Burnet tells me that all that would be necessary, if you could recommend the degree, would be to reply briefly to Dean Rogers indicating your endorsement. On the other hand, if you have any disagreement it would be best to communicate directly with Burnet. No other formalities are required. Quite possibly you had taken care of this some time ago but it seemed worth-while to bring up a reminder.

Yours sincerely,

Joshua Lederberg